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FOR 2007-09 BUDGET -- NOT READY FOR INTRODUCTION

SENATE AMENDMENT,

TO 2007 SENATE BILL 40

1.	At the locations indicated, amend the bill as follows:
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6	under 18 years of age.
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3	old or older, or the age specified by the department by rule under s. 29.592 (5),
4	whichever age is lower, and who applies for the license. A nonresident conservation
5	patron license shall be issued subject to s. 29.024 by the department to any person
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7	(5), whichever age is lower, who is not a resident, and who applies for the license.
8	SECTION 712v. 29.304 (4m) of the statutes is created to read:
9	29.304 (4m) Hunting mentorship program. The prohibition specified in sub.
10	(1) (a) and the restrictions specified in subs. (1) (b) to (d), (2), and (3) do not apply to
11	a person who is hunting with a mentor and who complies with the requirements
12	specified under s. 29.592.".
13	3. Page 472, line 11: after that line insert:
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3	hunting approvals for a 12 to 17 year-old person who is younger than 18 years of age,
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5	be the same as the fees for hunting approvals for residents under sub. (2) (a) and (c).
6	SECTION 715h. 29.563 (4) (a) 1m. of the statutes is amended to read:
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17	option.
18	SECTION 715t. 29.563 (4) (b) 2m. of the statutes is amended to read:
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3	is lower, may hunt in this state without obtaining a certificate of accomplishment
4	under s. 29.591 and may, while hunting, possess or control a firearm if all of the
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6	(a) At all times when hunting, the person is within arm's reach of a mentor who
7	meets the qualifications under sub. (2).
8	(b) The person holds a hunting approval.
9	(2) No person may serve as a qualified mentor for a hunter unless the person
10	meets all of the following requirements:
11	(a) The person is 18 years of age or older.
12	(b) The person is the parent or guardian of the person for whom he or she is
13	serving as a mentor or is authorized by the parent or guardian to serve as a mentor.
14	This requirement does not apply to a person serving as a mentor for a person who
15	is 18 years of age or older.
16	(c) At all times when serving as a mentor, the person is within arm's reach of
17	the person for whom he or she is serving as a mentor.
18	(d) The person has been issued a certificate of accomplishment under s. 29.591,
19	or under s. 29.595 if the person is serving as a mentor for hunting elk, unless the
20	person was born before January 1, 1973, and is not required to obtain a certificate
21	of accomplishment.
22	(e) The person holds a current valid hunting approval.

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(4) The department shall issue to each person to whom the department issues 2 a hunting approval a pamphlet, developed by the department, that contains hunter 3 safety information if the person is not required to obtain a certificate of accomplishment under s. 29.591 and is authorized to hunt with a mentor under this section. (5) The department may promulgate rules lowering the minimum age specified 7 in sub. (1) for purposes of this section. **Section 717d.** 29.593 (1) (a) of the statutes is amended to read: 29.593 (1) (a) Except as provided under subs. (2), (2m) and (3) and s. 29.592 (1), 10 no person born on or after January 1, 1973, may obtain any approval authorizing hunting unless the person is issued a certificate of accomplishment under s. 29.591.". **7.** Page 1349, line 6: after that line insert: **Section 2913c.** 167.31 (2) (b) of the statutes is renumbered 167.31 (intro.) and amended to read: 167.31 (2) (b) (intro.) Except as provided in sub. (4) no person may place, possess, or transport a firearm, bow, or crossbow in or on a vehicle, unless the any of the following apply: 1. If the person has a firearm, the firearm is unloaded and is encased or unless 19 the the vehicle is moving it is unloaded and beyond arm's reach of the operator and occupants of the vehicle. 2. If the person has a bow or crossbow, the bow or crossbow is unstrung or is enclosed in a carrying case or if the vehicle is moving it is beyond arm's reach of the operator and occupants of the vehicle. INS **SECTION 2913p.** 169.20 (1) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:

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Tuesday, June 12, 2007 8:10 AM

To:

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Cc: Subject: Rushmer, Erin RE: b0284/3

Upon further review! I think we need to leave the "encased" language IN. Because if the weapon is within arms reach is must be unloaded & encased. For the beyond arms reach, I talked to a DNR warden, the term for a crossbow is "uncocked" with no bolt "knocked" (in firing position on the string). For bows I guess it would be unstrung or with no arrow knocked if strung (compound bow), though at least with today's technology I believe that is the only practical option.

Would it perhaps make sense to add to the (1) (g) definition of "unloaded" the crossbow uncocked w/ no bolt knocked language. Daryl

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This draft looks good for the guns & the unstrung bows on page 5 lines 16 to 18. The remaining problem is the compound bow or crossbow that can not be readily "unstrung". We have to allow an unstrung bow, but may need to get the "unloaded" concept to apply there also (no bolt or arrow may be in place or attached??, or something along those lines??).



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23	and who pays the applicable fee.

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SECTION 2913w. 169.33 (2) (d) of the statutes is amended to read:
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1. In the case of a firearm, it is enclosed in a case that is expressly made for the purpose of containing a firearm and that is completely zipped, snapped, buckled, tied or otherwise fastened with no part of the firearm exposed.

History: 1985 a. 36; 1987 a. 27, 353; 1991 a. 77; 1993 a. 147; 1995 a. 122, 201; 1997a. 248, 249; 1999 a. 32, 158; 2001 a. 8, 56, 90, 108; 2003 a. 33, 139, 326; 2005 a. 169, 253, 286, 345.

SECTION 2913e. 167.31 (1) (b) 2. of the statutes is created to read:

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SECTION 2913j. 167.31 (2) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:

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History: 1993 a. 95, 491; 1995 a. 461

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4. Page 472, line 13: after that line insert:
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29.563 (2) (a) 8m. Archer issued to 12-year-olds to 17-year olds persons who
are younger than 18 years of age: \$17.25.".
5. Page 472, line 15: after that line insert:

1	"Section 715d. 29.563 (2m) of the statutes is amended to read:
2	29.563 (2m) Hunting approvals for certain nonresidents. The fees for
3	hunting approvals for a 12 to 17 year-old person who is younger than 18 years of age,
4	who is not a resident, and who exhibits proof that his or her parent is a resident shall
5	be the same as the fees for hunting approvals for residents under sub. (2) (a) and (c) .
6	Section 715h. 29.563 (4) (a) 1m. of the statutes is amended to read:
7	29.563 (4) (a) 1m. Sports issued to 12-year-olds to 17-year-olds persons who
8	are younger than 18 years of age: \$32.25 or a greater amount at the applicant's
9	option.
10	SECTION 715m. 29.563 (4) (a) 2m. of the statutes is amended to read:
11	29.563 (4) (a) 2m. Conservation patron issued to 12-year-olds to 17-year-olds
12	persons who are younger than 18 years of age: \$70.25 or a greater amount at the
13	applicant's option.
14 15	SECTION 715p. 29.563 (4) (b) 1m. of the statutes is amended to read: 29.563 (4) (b) 1m. Sports issued to 12-year-olds to 17-year-olds persons who
16	are younger than 18 years of age: \$33.25 or a greater amount at the applicant's
17	option.
18	SECTION 715t. 29.563 (4) (b) 2m. of the statutes is amended to read:
19	29.563 (4) (b) 2m. Conservation patron issued to 12 -year-olds to 17 -year-olds
20	persons who are younger than 18 years of age: \$72.25 or a greater amount at the
21	applicant's option.".
22	6. Page 472, line 20: after that line insert:
23	"Section 717b. 29.592 of the statutes is created to read:

29.592 Hunting mentorship program. (1) A person who is at least 12 years
of age, or the age specified by the department by rule under sub. (5), whichever age
is lower, may hunt in this state without obtaining a certificate of accomplishment
under s. 29.591 and may, while hunting, possess or control a firearm if all of the
following apply:

- (a) At all times when hunting, the person is within arm's reach of a mentor who meets the qualifications under sub. (2).
 - (b) The person holds a hunting approval.
- (2) No person may serve as a qualified mentor for a hunter unless the person meets all of the following requirements:
 - (a) The person is 18 years of age or older.
- (b) The person is the parent or guardian of the person for whom he or she is serving as a mentor or is authorized by the parent or guardian to serve as a mentor. This requirement does not apply to a person serving as a mentor for a person who is 18 years of age or older.
- (c) At all times when serving as a mentor, the person is within arm's reach of the person for whom he or she is serving as a mentor.
- (d) The person has been issued a certificate of accomplishment under s. 29.591, or under s. 29.595 if the person is serving as a mentor for hunting elk, unless the person was born before January 1, 1973, and is not required to obtain a certificate of accomplishment.
 - (e) The person holds a current valid hunting approval.
- (3) A mentor under this section may take only one person, for whom he or she is serving as a mentor, hunting at a time.

(4) The department shall issue to each person to whom the department issues
a hunting approval a pamphlet, developed by the department, that contains hunter
safety information if the person is not required to obtain a certificate of
accomplishment under s. 29.591 and is authorized to hunt with a mentor under this
section.
(5) The department may promulgate rules lowering the minimum age specified
in sub. (1) for purposes of this section.
SECTION 717d. 29.593 (1) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:
29.593 (1) (a) Except as provided under subs. (2), (2m) and (3) and s. 29.592 (1),
no person born on or after January 1, 1973, may obtain any approval authorizing
hunting unless the person is issued a certificate of accomplishment under s. 29.591.".
7. Page 1349, line 6: after that line insert:
"Section 2913d. 167.31 (1) (b) of the statutes is renumbered 167.31 (1) (b)
(intro.) and amended to read:
167.31 (1) (b) (intro.) "Encased" means any of the following:
1. In the case of a firearm, it is enclosed in a case that is expressly made for the
purpose of containing a firearm and that is completely zipped, snapped, buckled, tied
or otherwise fastened with no part of the firearm exposed.
Section 2913e. 167.31 (1) (b) 2. of the statutes is created to read:
167.31 (1) (b) 2. In the case of a bow or a crossbow, it is enclosed in a carrying
case.
SECTION 2913g. 167.31 (1) (g) 4. of the statutes is created to read:
167.31 (1) (g) 4. In the case of a crossbow, having the crossbow uncocked
without a bolt in firing position.

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1 **Section 2913j.** 167.31 (2) (a) of the statutes is amended to read: 2 167.31 (2) (a) Except as provided in sub. (4), no person may place, possess, or 3 transport a firearm, bow, or crossbow in or on a motorboat with the motor running, 4 unless the firearm is unloaded or unless the bow or, unless the crossbow is unloaded 5 and encased, or unless the bow is unstrung or is enclosed in a carrying case encased. 6 **Section 2913k.** 167.31 (2) (b) of the statutes is amended to read: 167.31 (2) (b) Except as provided in sub. (4), no person may place, possess or 7 8 transport a firearm, bow or crossbow in or on a vehicle, unless the firearm or 9 crossbow is unloaded and encased or unless the bow or crossbow is unstrung or is 10 enclosed in a carrying case. No person may place, possess, or transport a firearm or 11 crossbow in or on a vehicle that is moving or has a running motor unless it is also 12 encased or beyond the arm's reach of the operator and the occupants of the vehicle. 13 **Section 2913m.** 167.31 (2) (bn) of the statutes is created to read: 14 167.31 (2) (bn) Except as provided in sub. (4), no person may place, possess, or 15 transport a bow in a vehicle that is moving or has a running motor unless the bow 16 is encased or unstrung or unless the bow is beyond the arm's reach of the operator 17 and the occupants of the vehicle.

Section 2913n. 167.31 (3) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:

167.31 (3) (a) Except as provided in sub. (4), no person may place, possess, or transport a firearm, bow, or crossbow in or on an aircraft, unless the firearm or crossbow is unloaded and encased or unless the bow is unstrung or encased or crossbow is unstrung or is enclosed in a carrying case.

Section 2913p. 169.20 (1) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:

169.20 (1) (a) The department shall issue a bird dog training license to any individual who is at least 12 years of age, or the age specified by the department by

1	rule under s. 29.592 (5), whichever age is lower, and who files a proper application
2	and who pays the applicable fee.
3	SECTION 2913t. 169.20 (2) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:
4	169.20 (2) (a) The department shall issue a hound dog training license to any
5	individual who is at least 12 years of age, or the age specified by the department by
6	rule under s. 29.592 (5), whichever age is lower, and who pays the applicable fee.
7	SECTION 2913w. 169.33 (2) (d) of the statutes is amended to read:
8	169.33 (2) (d) An individual who applies for a bird dog training license or a
9	hound dog training license shall be at least 12 years of age, or the age specified by
10	the department by rule under s. 29.592 (5), whichever age is lower.".
11	8. Page 1655, line 10: after that line insert:
12	"Section 3834c. 941.237 (1) (c) of the statutes is amended to read:
13	941.237 (1) (c) "Encased" has the meaning given in s. 167.31 (1) (b) means
14	enclosed in a case that is expressly made for the purpose of containing a firearm and
15	that is completely zipped, snapped, buckled, tied, or otherwise fastened with no part
16	of the firearm exposed.".
17	9. Page 1655, line 24: after that line insert:
18	"Section 3836c. 948.605 (1) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:
19	948.605 (1) (a) "Encased" has the meaning given in s. 167.31 (1) (b) means
20	enclosed in a case that is expressly made for the purpose of containing a firearm and
21	that is completely zipped, snapped, buckled, tied, or otherwise fastened with no part
22	of the firearm exposed.".
23	(END)